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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.48(a), this amendment is in effort to correct the inventorship of the above-referenced application. Please amend this application to add inventor WILLIAM DVORAK SHRADER, who was inadvertently not named on the Declaration. Enclosed are the following papers.

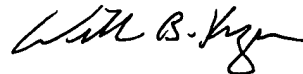
1. STATEMENT OF INVENTOR TO BE ADDED
2. DECLARATION OF WILLIAM DVORAK SHRADER
3. WRITTEN CONSENT OF ASSIGNEE
4. FEE AUTHORIZATION

Also, an Assignment adding WILLIAM DVORAK SHRADER is being submitted under separate cover to the United States Patent and Trademark Office for recordation. A copy (not for recordation) is enclosed.

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